

Appl. No. 09.863,223  
Amdt. dated October 27 2003  
Reply to Office action of October 16 2003

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Examiner's allowance of claims 1-12 is noted with thanks. Examiner's ruling with respect to the restriction of claims is also noted. Claims 13-22 have therefore been canceled. A divisional application will be filed at a later time.

Applicant therefore respectfully requests that this application be passed to issue at Examiner's earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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